

INNER CITY ROMANCE COMIX 2

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# RADICAL ROCK

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# RADICAL ROCK THE CHARACTERS



JAMES



THREE COMMUNITY ORGANIZERS



DRUMS

BACK  
VOICALS

VEGAS

THE

LEAD GUITAR  
VOICALS

YOKELS

BAND

TRUMPET

SAX



OLD FOLK



THE PEOPLE



FRIENDS OF THE BAND



THE TAC SQUAD



JAILERS

ORIGINALLY  
CREATED  
FOR THE  
SAN  
FRANCISCO  
CLOUD  
TIMES



THE MEDIA



BIG PIG

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## HISTORY

CONFRONTING SHITTY REALITY AGAIN AFTER 7 YEARS OF PRISON FOR POSSESSION OF ONE JOINT, JAMES WAS FORCED TO CHOOSE REAL CHANGE OVER SPARE CHANGE. HE KNEW HIS OWN STORY OF INMIGRANCE MAY PUT THE HONEST, HARDY BROTHERS AND SISTERS WHO WERE SPENDING THEIR LIVES BEHIND BARS FOR NO CRIME AT ALL. MANY BROTHERS AND SISTERS WERE BEING CRACKED UP AND SPOT OUT INSANE, MURDERED OR DEAD. JAMES HAD SEEN THE WORTH AND UNGRAVITY OF A BARRAGE SYSTEM AND HE JOINED WITH BROTHERS AND SISTERS DESIGNED TO OVERTURN IT AND RESCUE ITS CAPTIVES.

BEHIND JAMES BECAME AN ORGANIZER IN THE MOVEMENT TO FREE ALL POLITICAL PRISONERS. HE MADE IT HIS WORK TO RAISE FUNDS THAT WOULD PAY THE COURT FINE, SOME OF PEOPLE CAUGHT IN THE MACHINE, AND HELP THE FAMILIES OF THOSE BEYOND BAIL. IT WAS A JOB FOR JAMES' MAIN THREE COMMUNITY ORGANIZERS, HIGHLY RESPECTED IN THE BLACK, YOUNG, AND POOR OF THE CENTRAL CITY, WERE ARRESTED ON PHONY DRUG CHARGES, THESE THREE DEDICATED WORKERS HAD BEEN CONDUCTING AVOIDANCE AND EFFECTIVE CRIMINAL TO DEMAND THAT POLICE RESIDE IN THE NEIGHBORHOODS THEY SERVE. AN ACTUAL THREAT OF DECENTRALIZATION AND COMMUNITY CONTROL MOTIVATED THE CORRUPT CITY POWERS TO TAKE THE ORGANIZERS AND SPEAKERS FOR THIS MOVEMENT OUT OF ACTION. NOW JAMES ACTED TO RAISE RAIL MONEY TO FREE THE THREE TO CONTINUE THEIR WORK. HE ARRANGED A BENEFIT CONCERT, AN ANNUAL COMMUNITY, DESPITE POLICE HARASSMENT AND THREATS, WOULD TURN OUT IN HUNDREDS TO FREE THEIR PEOPLE. THE YOUNG MUSICIANS WERE EAGER TO HELP. THE BENEFIT THREATENED TO DO MORE THAN ACTIVATE, BUT THE MOST POWERFUL SIGN OF SOLIDARITY AGAINST POLICE CRIME THE CITY HAD EVER SEEN. THE PLAN WOULD USE EVERY PLAN AS WAS DESIGNED TO STOP THE SHOW THE NIGHT PLAYING. JAMES LEARNED OF THE IMPENDING BUST FROM TRUSTED UNDERGROUND SOURCES AND SET OUT TO WARN AND EMPOWER THE COMMUNITY. THE WORD WENT FROM HOUSE TO HOUSE ON THE SUMMER SATURDAY OF THE SHOW.





















YOU CAN KEEP ON  
WALKIN' - AROUND  
ALL BY YOURSELF!  
YOU CAN KEEP ON  
TALKIN' - LIKE  
YOU DON' NEED  
NO ONE ELSE!

BEFORE WE'RE  
RUN OFF BY THE  
MAN - YOU KNOW  
WE GOT TO MAKE  
A STAND!

AH'M GONNA STAND WITH  
YOU ON PLANET EARTH!  
AH'M GONNA STAND WITH  
YOU ON PLANET EARTH!



AH'M GONNA  
KEEP ON SMOOTIN'  
WHEN I SEE MY  
DROG HEADS DIB!  
GONNA  
KEEP ON SINGIN'  
WHEN I HEAR  
THE PEOPLE  
CRY!

THE MAN DON'T  
WUWNA HEAR A SOUND,  
SO RAISE YOUR  
VOICES ALL  
AROUND!

AH'M  
GONNA  
KEEP  
MY HEAD

AH'M GONNA RAISE  
MY HEAD  
ON PLANET EARTH

AH'M GONNARAISE  
MY HEAD  
ON PLANET EARTH

AH'M  
GONNA  
GET  
MY HEAD



NOISE OF BOOTS AND LEATHER,  
LIGHTS FLASHING RED AND WHITE.  
WE GOT TO STAY TOGETHER.  
WE GOT TO DO WHAT'S RIGHT.

THERE AINT NO  
PLACE THAT WE  
CAN GO —  
AN WE AINT  
GONNA GO  
NO MO'!

AH'M GONNA LIVE WITH YOU  
ON PLANET EARTH!  
AH'M GONNA LIVE WITH YOU  
ON PLANET EARTH!



# PLANET EARTH



# PART 2

(ADAGIO)



Sound lak dey  
hayin' a WAHR  
down to de  
pahk.

WHO?









Jus cuz ah wants  
to see niggahs  
actin' decent; jus  
cuz ah respects  
de white man  
an' his law, don'  
mean you got  
to be so  
SAHCASTIC!

Oh, ah know  
YOU was a  
good  
sol-juh!



READY.

Shoot yo  
best shot,  
SAH-jent.

AIM.

OOOO-WEE

FIRE!







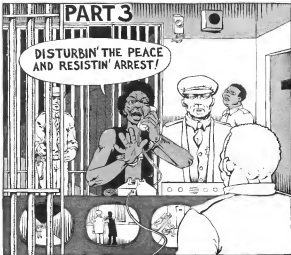






# PART 3

**DISTURBIN' THE PEACE  
AND RESISTIN' ARREST!**



**DISTURBIN' THE PEACE  
AND RESISTIN' ARREST?  
THAT'S ALL IT'S  
GONNA BE!**



**IF YOU GIT UP A  
LITTLE BAIL, THEY'RE  
GONNA SET ME  
FREE!**







YOU KNOW I GOT  
A LOTTA FRIENDS  
THAT WOULDA  
HELPED ME OUT!



BUT MOST OF  
THEM'S BEEN  
LOCKED UP TOO!  
YOU SHOULD  
HEARD US  
**SHOUT!**



DISTURBIN' AND  
RESISTIN', MA?  
**THEY KILLED  
A FRIEND OF  
MINE. I HAD TO  
GO AND START  
A RIOT, BUT I  
WONT DO NO  
TIME!**



THEY'LL STOP  
US ANY WAY  
THEY CAN. I  
KNOW THEY  
WANNA  
KILL US!

BUT IF THEY  
THINK IT'S GONNA  
WORK, THEY'LL  
MAKE US LOOK  
**RIDICULOUS!**





YOU'RE MAKIN' TOO MUCH NOISE, YOUNG MAN.

IT WON'T DO ANY GOOD. YOU KNOW POLICE ARE HERE TO STAY.

START ACTING LIKE YOU SHOULD.



FUCK YOU, PIG!  
AH'LL KEEP ON SHOUTIN' LONG AS YOU AROUND!



AH'LL RAISE MAH PEOPLE UP AGAINST YOU—BRING YO SYSTEM DOWN!



WE DON'T WANT ANY RADICAL STARS, OR ROCK AND ROLL RIOT. BUT, KID, YOU'RE GOING TO GET A BREAK, IF YOU'LL JUST BE MORE QUIET.



IF NO NEWSPER  
OR TELEVISION  
SEE YOUR  
CLENCHED  
UP FIST.



WE WON'T HAVE  
TO EVER PUT  
YOUR NAME  
DOWN ON OUR  
LIST.



SO, GET A  
JOB, SON.

KEEP YOUR  
NOSE CLEAN.



DON'T GET  
IN OUR  
GAMES.



YOU'RE BOUND  
TO LOSE IF  
YOU DON'T  
CHOOSE...



...A DIFFERENT  
ROAD FROM  
JAMES.



SOME FRIENDS OF  
YOURS ARE RIGHT  
OUTSIDE.



THEY'RE GATHERING A  
CROWD. IF YOU DON'T  
GET OUT RIGHT AWAY,  
THEY'LL ALL BE GETTING  
LOUD.



THAT'LL BRING  
THE NEWSMEN  
OUT.

DON'T WANT  
YOU ON T.V.



YOU SEND  
THEM HOME,  
WE DROP  
THE  
CHARGES



THAT SOUNDS  
COOL WITH  
ME.



LET IT ALL  
BLOW OVER,  
BOY.

POLICE  
ARE HERE  
TO STAY.

WE'RE WATCH-  
ING EVERY MOVE  
YOU MAKE AND  
EVERY WORD  
YOU SAY.







**PLANET EARTH!**



HEY,  
BOY!



**PLANET  
EARTH!**



**PLANET EARTH!**

AM IRRING  
MONEY  
TO GET YOU  
OUT!

YOU  
BLEEDIN'  
SON.



BUT NOW AM I SEE  
YOUR FREE 'N' HUMAN  
TROUBLE AGIN',  
AM I NOT STILL  
GONNA HAVE  
TO BAIL YOU  
OUT!



**PLANET EARTH!**







# PLANET EARTH!

**PAPA!**

MAN LORD

MAH SOW!



NOW LEARN THAT THE DISTURBANCES WHICH WERE A DIRECT OUTCOME OF THE SHOOTING HAVE SO FAR RESULTED IN THE DEATHS OF FOUR POLICE OFFICERS. AT THIS VERY MOMENT THE MAYOR AND THE GOVERNOR ARE CONFERRING ON POSSIBLE STEPS TO END THE VIOLENCE. MARTIAL LAW HAS NOT BEEN RULED OUT AS AN...

WELL, I'M SURE THAT'S WHAT THEY WANT TO HEAR.

NIGHT OF VIOLENCE

MILKLEAK BEATINGS

FATHER AND SON  
KILLED BY POLICE

FATHER AND SON  
KILLED BY POLICE

ESCAPE ATTEMPT  
SAYS CHIEF

BOY  
DEAD

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